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Applicant(s): Toshikazu HAMAMOTO

Serial No.: 09/865,608

Examiner: Gregg Cantelmo

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For: DNA CHIP AND ITS PREPARATION

Commissioner of Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2003, please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper;

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.